

A. STATUS OF CLAIMS

Claims 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 are in a current rejected status, (not previously amended).

D. AMENDMENTS TO CLAIMS

Claim 1: (currently amended)

CLAIM 1:

A code system for obtaining access to a locking system comprising the following steps, which involves addressing a service of:

- a. providing a plurality of numeric values in a computer based system;
- b. assigning a code number of one or more digit[s] in said computer based system;
- c. [accessing] mathematically processing of any of said plurality of numeric values [mathematically] through said computer system to [reach] obtain the numeric value of the said code number through computer processing steps, said processing and computing steps in said computer based system being an arbitrary addition of any of said plurality of numeric values to attain a sum of said numeric values;
- d. comparing in said computer means said code number with said sum of said numeric values arrived at by said arbitrary addition of any said plurality of numeric values to ascertain if said code number is equal to said sum of said numeric values;
- e. providing access by said computer based system to said locking system to allow access through said locking system if said code number assigned is equal to said sum of numeric values resulting from said calculated sum of number values of any said numeric values of said plurality of numeric values.

CLAIM 2 (currently amended):

A code system for obtaining access to a second system comprising the following steps in a computer based system:

- (a) providing a code number of a mathematical value in a computer system;
- (b) providing a plurality of input symbols each of which is a given numerical value;
- (c) selecting one or more of said input symbols to arrive mathematically at a mathematical value of the sum of the values of such input symbols to arrive at a given numerical value which is the sum of the respective mathematical value input symbols selected;
- (d) processing said sum of the mathematical values respective input symbols in said computer system to arrive mathematically at a sum of said input signals and comparing in said computer system said sum of numerical values to [see said code number] to ascertain if said code [members] member is the same mathematical value as said sum of the said input symbols;
- (e) means in said providing access to open a system based on a positive comparative identity between said sum and said code number.

CLAIM 3 (currently amended):

A code process for accessing a system having access means comprising:

- (a) first surface disposed on a portion of said register device;
- (b) a plurality of keys each said key push buttons member having associated therewith an assigned number;
- (c) micro switch means associated with each of said push key members, said micro switch members being activated by each of said key members, each said micro switch members associated with a mathematical value for each said micro switch members and their associated keys ;
- (d) electrical lead means interfaced between said system and said micro switch members [with said micro switch member], and with said computer;
- (e) assigning a code numerical value in said computer based means;
- (f) computer based means to permit adding in an arbitrary fashion assigned to any of the numeric values assigned to each said key member to arrive at a sum equal to the assigned code number;
- (g) access means in said computer to relay a signal through said electrical lead means if said sum arrived at by said sum of the numeric values equals said code number numeric value;
- (h) computer calculating means that functions to determine if there is [not] a proper correlation between the coded number numeric value placed in

the system by the user and the numerical data placed in the system. By the adding of the said selected numeric values from said plurality of numbers;

(i) electric signaling means emanate from said computer based system that opens said access means in said system.

CLAIM 4 (currently amended):

A coding system for accessing a system comprising the following steps:

- (a) a hardware member having a plurality of input members adapted to be manipulated, each of said input members having an assigned numerical value associated therewith proving input data;
- (b) computer means interconnected electrically to said hardware members, said computer means adapted to said process input numerical data;
- (c) means to calculate a total of the input members to reach a predetermined number;
- (d) computer based means to compare said predetermined number in such computer with the number calculated from said input numbers and open access to a system if said predetermined number is the same number as said calculated number.

CLAIM 5 (New):

A code system for obtaining access to a physical system having a physical access mode comprising the following steps:

- a. providing a plurality of numbers in a computer system;
- b. assigning a code number comprising a sum of one or more of said plurality of numbers in said computer system;
- c. accessing said system by computer entering said assigned code number by selecting one or more of said plurality of numbers to obtain a sum of said selected numbers which is equal to said assigned code number;
- d. processing said sum in said computer system of selected numbers in a computer system to compare said code number to said sum of selected numbers to determine equity number between said code and said sum of second numbers actuate actual entry into said system when the said sum of said selected numbers equals said code number.
- e. means is said computer system to relay an electrical signal to said physical access mode for said physical system when the sum of selected numbers equals the said code number.
- f. shutoff means in said computer system if a predetermined arbitrary selected number of erroneous attempts are made to enter said physical system through said code input process.